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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2007 and the Advisory Action mailed November 29, 2007, reconsideration is requested in view of the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this response.